Disproportionate employees allotted to Uttaranchal

†1541. SHRI MANOHAR KANT DHYANI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that population of Uttaranchal is only five percent compared to Uttar Pradesh and Uttaranchal's share in all the assets and liabilities including Government employees segregated at the time of creation of the State was also 5 per cent.

(b) if so, whether it is also a fact that Uttar Pradesh has burdened Uttaranchal with 11 per cent of the employees; and

(c) the measures taken by Government to save Uttaranchal from such financial burden from Government of Uttar Pradesh?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI): (a) The population of Uttaranchal is about 5% of the population of Uttar Pradesh. The basis of apportionment of various assets and liabilities of the parent State of Uttar Pradesh between the successor States of Uttar Pradesh and Uttaranchal are provided in Part VI of the Uttar Pradesh Reorganisation Act, 2000 while allocation of services of personnel is covered under Part VIII of the Act. While population ratio between Uttar Pradesh and Uttaranchal is the general principle on which assets and liabilities are to be apportioned between the two successor States, it is not the criterion for allocation of services of Government employees.

(b) and (c) No Sir. As per provisions of the Uttar Pradesh Reorganisation Act, 2000, the Central Government alone is empowered to allocate the services of Government employees to Uttar Pradesh and Uttaranchal. The Central Government has issued Orders for final allocation of officers of the Indian Administrative Service, Indian Police Service and Indian Forest of Uttaranchal, and for allocating personel of District, Division, Hill-Sub-Cadres, and personnel working in projects in Uttaranchal. The norms recommended by the Advisory Committee, constituted as per provisions of the Uttar Pradesh Reorganisation Act, 2000, formed the basis for bifurcation of the All India Service Cadres. Staff serving in village, Tehsil, district, division or regions falling in the territorial jurisdiction of Uttaranchal who are normally liable to transfer within such area and part

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of such cadres were appointed to such posts in Uttaranchal. Similarly, personnel recruited specifically for projects or undertakings, where such projects/undertakings are part of Uttaranchal would be normally deemed to be working in connection with the affairs of that State. State Service personnel are to be allocated generally on the basis of requirement. The Central Government have so far issued provisional allocation orders only for other cadres like State Administrative Service, State Police Service, State Secretariat Service and State Finance Service. Work regarding their final allocation to the successor States has been takenup by the State Advisory Committee.

Bifurcation of assets between U.P. and Uttaranchal

†1542. SHRI MANOHAR KANT DHYANI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Uttaranchal is facing financial loss due to bifurcation of assets and interference in its jurisdiction by Uttar Pradesh; and

(b) whether Government have taken any action in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI): (a) No financial loss has been reported due to bifurcation of assets and interference in its jurisdiction by Government of Uttaranchal.

(b) Does not arise as the bifurcation of assets is done by mutual consensus failing which, by the Union Government on a reference made by either of the State Government.

Border management in Indo-Pak border in Rajasthan sector

1543. DR. ABRAR AHMED: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) what steps Government have taken on Indo-Pak border in Rajasthan sector for policing, curbing infiltration of mercenaries/militants, drug traffickers from across the border;

(b) the result achieved so far; and

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